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FIGHT IN FRONT OF GRAND HOTEL

Charles Sorrell and Cleg Miller Came to Blows After Insulting Remarks by Sorrell.

"CHUCK" STARTS TROUBLE

Policeman Wolters Files Affidavits Against Both Men in Squire's Court.

Charles Sorrell, commonly known as "Chuck" was badly beaten up last evening about five-thirty o'clock in front of the Grand hotel by Cleg Miller only after he had provoked Miller beyond endurance. Sorrell's injuries while not of a serious nature, proved painful and he was forced to remain home today.

According to Miller, Sorrell was very insulting and at several different times yesterday tried to start a fight and seemed to be hunting trouble. In the morning he had started an argument in the hotel office and was quieted down by Miller. Mr. Miller went into the pool room which is directly back of the office and Sorrell followed. Here he begged Miller's pardon and tried to make friends. Everything went along alright and apparently Sorrell was in the best of humor.

His nature, however, was very changeable and all during the day, guests and patrons of the hotel were insulted by him, so Miller declares. Just before the fight, Miller was forced to call him down again and Sorrell seemed to resent this, so the story goes.

On coming out of the front door, Miller was suddenly and unexpectedly attacked by Sorrell. They clashed on the sidewalk and Miller as a matter of self-defense, says he took up the fight. When seen today, Miller said, "As I was too fat to run, the next best thing was to fight." It seems as though Sorrell was the starter of the affair which came to a sudden end for him.

He was taken to the jail, where his injuries were dressed and later was able to walk home. Mr. Miller said that as far as he knew Sorrell had not been drinking and if he had, did not get it at the hotel saloon.

Sorrell has been in trouble of this kind before, being arrested only a few weeks ago for assault and battery and still has that fine hanging over him.

Affidavits have been filed before Squire Kratzer by Policeman Wolters against both men, but late this afternoon neither had been arrested.

SPRING OPENINGS BEGIN

Millinery Stores in Gay Array Today For Visitors.

The three days' millinery openings for Rushville began today, when all of the millinery stores had on their best toggeries and were open to visitors. All of the hat shops showed a beautiful line of spring creations and were tastefully decorated for the occasion. Despite the fact that the weather was very inclement, crowds thronged the millinery stores this afternoon. The openings will continue until the end of this week.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Friday, sold.

The Daily Republican.

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PROMISED TO LEAVE CITY

Thomas Innis Arrested For Public Intoxication Last Night.

Thomas Innis was arrested last night for being drunk and was arraigned before Mayor Black this morning. Innis pleaded guilty, but was released on the promise to leave the city. He had been employed with the Adams Construction company, but quit his position last Saturday to go to the Dayton Soldiers' Home, where he had been all winter. Innis has served seven years in the regular army. He had no money and promised to leave if released. Mayor Black thought it best for the city to release him and he left this morning.

MANILLA TO HAVE MEN'S BIG MEETING

Next Sunday Afternoon's Session Will be Part of Revival Meeting Now in Progress.

SPECIAL MUSICAL IS ARRANGED

A meeting for men only will be held in the Christian church at Manilla at three o'clock next Sunday afternoon. A revival meeting is in progress at the church and much enthusiasm has been aroused. It is hoped to make the men's meeting one of the largest of its kind ever held in Manilla. The revival is in charge of the pastor, Rev. Carl Burkhardt.

At the meeting Sunday afternoon Rev. Burkhardt will deliver an address entitled "Quit You Like Men." Rev. Burkhardt is an interesting speaker and those who attend can feel assured in advance that they will hear something worth their while. Special music will be rendered by a large choir of male voices under the leadership of Prof. F. E. Truckess. A feature of the song service will be a vocal solo by Prof. Truckess, the title of which is "When I Knelt at Mother's Knee." Every man in Manilla and vicinity is cordially invited to attend.

LOT TRADING, COMMON TODAY

Many Purchasers Exchanged and Others Commanded Good Prices For Ground in New Addition.

SOME WERE SOLD FOR \$200

Lot "swapping" was very common here today, after the drawing last night, when the lots in the Stewart-Tompkins addition were allotted to their prospective owners. Many buyers were able to find a good trade that was agreeable to both parties and in some instances a little "boot" was paid.

Hargrove & Mullin's drug store, the scene of most of the trading today, was a busy place all day. R. C. Hargrove bought the lot which Sam Young drew for \$200, it being one of the best in the addition, as it fronts in Perkins street. William G. Mulno, was one of the most fortunate purchasers. He drew the largest lot in the plat which is located in the southeast corner. It is irregular and is 120 by 135 by 50 by 20 feet. On account of the great amount of ground in it, Will Bennett offered \$200 for it and Mr. Mulno promptly

PLAYS SOME SAD STATISTICS DON'T TRICKS FOR MEN HOLD GOOD HERE

Good Fortune Treats Some Lot Buyers Kindly While Others do Not Fare so Well.

DRAWING WAS IN COURT HOUSE

Large Crowd of Representative Business Men Hears President Schrichte Make Talk.

The lot drawing was held in the court house assembly room last night, when good fortune played many persons a sad trick while it treated others more kindly. Almost all of the buyers were there and a more enthusiastic crowd of Rushville boomers never gathered than was present last night.

The drawing was held under the auspices of the Rushville Retail Merchants' Association. Anthony Schrichte, president of the association, presided. The slips of paper on which were written the numbers of the lots were placed in one hat box and the names of the purchasers were placed in another. A slip was drawn from each box simultaneously and the number corresponding to the name was the lot which the buyer received.

Eugene Kelly and Harry Hackman drew the numbers and names out of the boxes and Will Newbold, Dr. W. S. Coleman and H. C. Flint acted as tellers.

According to the way the plat was arranged, lots numbering from eighty-eight to one hundred and fifteen were by far the best real estate, due to the fact that they have fronts on Perkins street. Any one of these lots is considered to be worth much more than the price which was paid. The men who drew lots facing on Perkins street believe that they have made a good investment and if Rushville is built up in that addition as it is expected that it will be, other buyers who drew lots back by the factory site will not suffer. Lots facing Cherry and Willow streets are considered by most business men to be worth the money even if they will not realize anything on them for a few years.

The president of the association took occasion, when the large crowd of representative business men was present, to say a few words in regard to the future of Rushville as well as the industrial organization. He made an enthusiastic address—he can make no other kind—predicting that Rushville had started well on its way to the goal which is a wonderfully improved city, both in beauty and in wealth of manufacturing institutions. Mr. Schrichte's enthusiasm bulged out from all over him and he instilled it in the attentive audience which listened. He urged the co-operation of every Rushville business man to reach the common goal—the greater and larger Rushville.

Robert L. Tompkins and A. L. Stewart, who are members of the company which will finance the new furniture factory, and who bought the tract of land on their own responsibility in order to put on the lot sale, were loudly applauded when they entered the assembly room last evening. It is to their hustle and good business sense that Rushville owes much for the new factory, as well as the other members of the company, and they were justly recognized last night.

The lot buyers and the numbers which they drew are as follows:

Oneal Bros—60.
Jos. W. Miller—82.
Ralph Kennedy—40.
P. A. Miller—3.

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STATISTICS DON'T TRICKS FOR MEN HOLD GOOD HERE

Brewers' Association Prepares Report, Asserting it Shows Evil Effects of County Option.

NOT THE CASE IN RUSH COUNTY

Smaller Percentage of Arrests Here During "Dry" Regime Than When Saloons Abounded.

The Association of Indiana Brewers has compiled statistics on the arrests in Indiana in the last three years, 1908, 1909 and 1910, in which it is asserted that the ratio of arrests for intoxication to the total number of arrests for misdemeanors is approximately forty-five per cent for the year 1910, when seventy-one of the ninety-two counties of the State went "dry" under the county option law as against twenty-nine per cent in 1908, when the county option law went into effect.

The association gives the percentage of arrests for intoxication to the total number of arrests in forty-one counties in a report. Although the assertion of the brewers may be true for the State so far as they have gathered statistics, it is not true for Rush county.

In the local instance it is shown that the per cent for 1908 was forty-four. Rushville had saloons all during that year as the election was not held until February of the next year, when the county voted "dry." According to the report the next year, 1909, when saloons were here only a few months, the per cent was only twenty-one or a falling off of twenty-three per cent. There was an increase in the percentage of arrests for drunkenness in relation to the number of arrests for all law violations in the year 1910, when there were no saloons here. That year the per cent was thirty-four, according to the report, which is thirteen per cent greater than the year preceding, but still ten less than the year 1908, when the saloons were here all the time.

WERE HERE TO GET EVIDENCE FOR CASE

C. H. & D. Surveyors Measure the Ground as Result of the Dillon \$10,000 Damage Suit.

PHYSICIAN WAS KILLED THERE

The story was circulated yesterday to the effect that surveyors, employed by the C. H. & D. railroad, were measuring ground around the site of the Fred Capp property at the corner of Main and Fourth streets yesterday for the erection of a new and modern depot, was false. The surveyors here are employed by the C. H. & D. railroad, but they were not engaged in the work that they were reported to be doing.

It will be remembered that Dr. O. P. Dillon, while crossing the tracks in Main street in an automobile, was struck by a C. H. & D. train and instantly killed. The physician's widow has filed suit in Superior Court in Indianapolis for ten thousand dollars damages as the result of the accident. The case was set for trial on Monday, but did not come up, due to the fact that some of the defendant's witnesses were ill. The surveyors were here to get some measurements in relation to the accident.

RALEIGH COMMENCEMENT

Annual High School Exercises Will be Held Tonight.

The commencement exercises of the Raleigh high school will be held tonight at the Lyceum hall in Raleigh. A. P. Wagoner's orchestra of this city will furnish the music and State Superintendent of Public Instruction Charles A. Greathouse will deliver the principal address of the evening. The program will close with the presentation of diplomas by County Superintendent C. M. George.

SMALLER VOTE THAN RUSHVILLE

Only 1375 Ballots Were Cast There While 1400 Voted at Option Election Here.

GREENSBURG POPULATION 5420

It is a notable fact that less votes were cast in Greensburg in the local option election Tuesday than were cast in the election of the same character in Rushville on February 28. It is also well to remember that Greensburg, according to the last census has more than five thousand people in the corporation lines. Local people can not believe that both of these alleged facts are true.

Fourteen hundred votes were cast in the option election here while only 1375 men voted in Greensburg Tuesday, according to the official count. The last census gives Greensburg a population of 5420, while the census bureau has failed to give Rushville anything yet. It is nothing more than nonentity. If Greensburg has a less number of voters it is difficult to understand why it should have at least five hundred more people. Besides the fourteen hundred votes which were given in the official count, a number were thrown out on account of mistakes in balloting.

Only 1122 votes were cast in the Greenfield election. Greenfield is in the same class with Rushville as it has not received any returns from the last census.

TEACHERS LEAVE FOR STATE MEETING

Spelling Contest This Afternoon Attracts Great Interest Here—Schools Close at Noon.

SESSION LASTS THREE DAYS

The city schools convened early this morning and were dismissed shortly before noon in order that the teachers might attend the State spelling contest. The first of a three days' session of the Southern Indiana Teachers' Association was held today and many from this county will attend the remaining sessions. There will be no school tomorrow and it is expected that all the teachers will take advantage of the sessions. The spelling contest this afternoon is attracting wide attention and Rush county's representative, Gladys Titsworth, is conceded a good chance of winning.

There are twelve thousand square miles of peat bogs in Ontario and Manitoba, enough to supply 5,306,076 families with fuel equal to ten tons of good coal each for one hundred years.

PETITIONS OUT TO PAVE STREET

Three, Asking For Improvement of First With Brick, Have Been Signed by Few.

TO BE CIRCULATED OVER CITY
If Commissioners Grant Right, it Will Extend From Hildreth's Lane to Main Street.

Three petitions to have First street under the three-mile gravel road law have been prepared and signed by a few persons. The petitions will be circulated over the city in an effort to get signatures. It is anticipated that the signatures can be obtained with ease.

According to the present plans, the road will begin at the Hildreth lane in West First street, which is located a few rods west of Hodges' branch and will extend to Main street. The road will be built of bound macadam east as far as the Big Four railroad. From there on to Main street it will be brick, that is if the commissioners grant the petition.

The signatures of fifty free-holders in the city are sufficient for the commissioners to grant the petition. The petition can not come before the commissioners at the next month's meeting, which will be held next Monday, as it is necessary for the petitioners to give the commissioners a fifteen days' notice.

The question immediately arises as to why the brick streets may not be extended to the race where the eastern terminus of first street is located. This is due to the fact that the law requires that the street, improved, such as the petitioners will ask that First street be improved, shall connect with an improved roadway. It is said that the law allows that the portion of it west of the Big Four railroad may be macadamized.

The good to be derived from such an improvement can scarcely be estimated. With Main and Second streets paved, Rushville is fast assuming metropolitan airs and with another brick street added to the list Rushville will move up toward the class of best improved cities in Indiana. It is to be hoped that even more will follow.

RUMORS THAT BIG FIGHT TOOK PLACE

Reported That Robert Whalen's Arm Was Hit by Axe and Badly Fractured.

MRS. GREGG'S ARREST, RESULT

Although it is belated, there is a story being circulated that there was a big free-for-all fight at the Levi home in the west part of the city, which resulted in the arrest of Mrs. Lucien Gregg, who was fined five dollars and costs by Mayor Black on Tuesday night. It is said that Mrs. Gregg was not the only one who was drunk and that intoxicated people abounded. Rumor has it that arguments followed and that an axe was flourished and finally fell on the arm of one Robert Whalen, causing a bad fracture. It is not known who hit Whalen with the axe, but it is said that black eyes and scarred faces seemed imminent, when interference caused the trouble to cease.

Attention! Ladies of Rush Co.

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County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

Union Township.

Earl Wilson and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Biggs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nixon visited their son, Robert Nixon and family, northwest of Rushville from Saturday until Monday.

Shell Davidson and family visited Lem Warren and family Sunday.

Mrs. Maude L. Rogers is improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vandament of Indianapolis are visiting Joseph Vandament and family for a few days.

George Billings and family visited Ben Jones and family Sunday.

Bro. Tomlison of Fairland will preach at Plum Creek Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zimmerman of Memphis Tennessee, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bell visited W. H. McMillin and family last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Werkling Sunday.

The Aid Society meets Thursday with Mrs. Mary Nixon.

Mrs. Nan Hatton of Indianapolis is visiting Lew Doughty and family.

Misses Mary, Frieda and Bertha Custer visited Carie Morris Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riffey of Falmouth visited Linea Hays and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Eakin Sunday.

Mrs. Perry Morris visited at Connersville last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Benson entertained at dinner Sunday, Will Bell and family; Joseph Vandament and family, Rolla Zorne and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vandament, Mrs. Mandie Vandament and Mrs. Polly Newkirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Murphy and little daughter moved to the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Morris, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Logan and Mr. Ross Logan took dinner with Will McMillin and family Sunday.

Foley Kidney Pills

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Center.

Jesse Atkins, rural route carrier from Mays, has been suffering from a dislocated shoulder sustained in a fall.

Erett Button, wife and daughter, Norma of south of town were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dawson Monday.

Thomas Duke is sick with grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Apple of near Willow spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Apple.

Presbyterian will meet at Mays U. P. Church Tuesday and Wednesday April 4th and 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cohee of Mays and Mrs. May Norris of Columbus were guests of Charles McBride and family Wednesday.

Messrs. Al Rhodes and Charles McBride and their respective families were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Newhouse of Mays Sabbath.

Omar Dawson and family spent Tuesday with Will Moffatt and family, north of town.

Milton Stump of Nappanee was the guest of Miss Cora Newhouse of Mays the latter part of last week.

Miss Rhea Bigham was the guest of Mrs. D. L. Heritage at Knightsburg the last of the week.

Mrs. May Morris of Columbus returned home Saturday after a ten days' visit with relatives in this vicinity.

Mesdames L. F. McDaniel and A. C. Kirkham were guests of Mrs. Minerva Hackleman one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lyons were the guests of relatives in Rushville Saturday.

Jeff Reeves and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jap Steele Sabbath.

Misses Stella Rhodes and Grace Frazier saw the "Blue Mouse" at the night last week.

Murat theater in Indianapolis one Mrs. Frank Trowbridge and Mrs. Rose Risk were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rhodes Thursday.

Summer.

Mrs. Louis Little of near Planfield visited Mrs. Amy Swain from Wednesday evening until Friday morning last week.

Frank Nigh has moved into the house Mr. Slogan lived on Noah Moore's farm.

Mrs. Amanda Macy called on Mrs. Amanda Northam Friday afternoon.

Rev. Jacob Hester went with Hester Foulke to her home in Sheridan after she had visited here with her grandparents.

Mrs. Clara and Albert Rigsbee and Ed Miller and Mrs. Lena Macy were in Rushville Saturday afternoon in Mr. Rigsbee's auto.

Ol Swain was at Carey Phares' Sunday.

Emory Pitts has gone to Hartford City to attend the W. M. Ministerial Institute a few days this week.

Mrs. Amy Swain is in a critical condition with peritonitis and inflammation of the stomach. She was in a very weakened condition already and has been an invalid ever since she fell and broke her hip over a year ago.

There was quite a storm came through here Monday morning about five o'clock, but it did not do much damage to any one here except at O. C. Macy's where it turned over the hen house and blew down fences and trees and also blew about seventy-five slate shingles off of the house. It went on east of there to their farm where Bill Ray lives and blew so hard that the house shook and several windows fell out and the rain poured in. It blew the wagon bed several feet. At Wash Patterson's, still farther east, it blew the school back over and broke it so the children had to be taken to school to Manilla in a big wagon.

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Rev. Mrs. Jay and daughter Eula were at J. W. Northam's Sunday and at Mrs. Sarah McMichael's Tuesday. Together with Mrs. Mary Zike they were at Mr. Rice's Monday.

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Frank Reynolds—54.
George Wingerter—93.
Earl Payne—19.
Wm. L. Newbold, Geo. H. Puntenney—20.
Albert L. Allen—62.

Lon Link—111.
T. L. Carter—79.
Carl E. Webb—75.
John Geraghty—11.
George F. Moore—13.
H. A. Kramer—76.
James E. Watson—81.
David H. Webster—58.
Rich Reed—9.
Sue M. Gregg—47.
R. F. Scudder—4.
L. M. Sexton—113.
Herman E. Jones—59.
Ross L. Friend—72.
H. G. Haydon—91.
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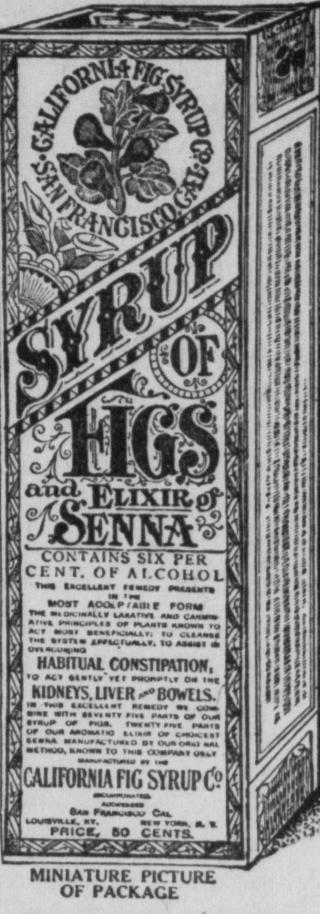
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PERSONAL POINTS

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Mrs. Will Meredith visited in Indianapolis today.

James E. Watson went to Terre Haute this morning on a business trip.

O. C. Norris of this city, great sachem, attended the district meeting of the Red Men in Tomlinson hall in Indianapolis yesterday at which 3000 members were present.

Sidney Brooks visited in Indianapolis today.

Morris Winship transacted business in Indianapolis today.

Miss Hallie Holmes went to Martinsville this morning for a visit.

Walter Thomas transacted business in Indianapolis today.

E. L. Carpenter returned to his home in Wabash after a visit in this city.

Shelbyville News: Mrs. William Weindling of Rush county, is spending a few days as the guest of her brother, Delaney Mahan of West Hendricks street.

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Mrs. Mary Morris of Columbus has been visiting relatives in this county.

James E. Watson and John A. Titsworth transacted business in Indianapolis today.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reeve has returned from an extended stay in Roswell, New Mexico.

Miss Beulah Meredith went to Indianapolis today to visit her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Carson.

Emory Pitts of near Arlington attended the ministerial institute in Hartford City this week.

Miss Hazel Cox returned today from a few days' visit with friends and relatives in Indianapolis.

John Worthington of Greensburg was here yesterday and last night on business, returning home today.

Mrs. William G. Mulno and daughter, Dorothy, went to Indianapolis this afternoon to spend the remainder of the week as the guest of her sister.

Shelbyville News: Mrs. H. H. Henley, of Carthage, came here Wednesday evening to remain for a few days as the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. H. Milleson.

Mrs. J. P. D. John, wife of Dr. J. P. D. John of Greencastle, who has been visiting her brother E. B. Poundstone and family at the corner of Harrison and Seventh streets, returned to her home yesterday.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

THURSDAY.
Grand Club, with Mrs. J. C. Sexton in North Main street.
Modern Art club, with Mrs. H. H. Allen in East Third street.

FRIDAY.
Friday Afternoon Bible class with Mrs. Lon Link, in North Perkins street.

MISS MARION McMillin will be hostess for the Senior club at her home in East Sixth street this evening. A pitch-in supper will be held.

Miss Lora Smiley, formerly of this city, but now of Somerset, Ky., will be married tonight in Clifton, N. Y., to John Brown. They will reside in Somerset. Miss Smiley is a sister of Mrs. John Lewis of North Harrison street.

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AMUSEMENTS

The Vaudet will offer a big double program this evening with a Thanhouser and an Imp film. The Thanhouser, "Only in the Way," is a drama, said to be a very good picture. "The Empty Shell" is an Imp drama, which is acted by the all-star Imp stock company. It is declared by the management to be one of the best subjects which was ever shown here.

The Palace will show two good films tonight, which is in accordance with their plans to show two reels of pictures each evening. The Lubin picture, "Her Child's Honor," featuring Miss Lawrence and Arthur Johnson, who were formerly members of the Biograph stock company, will be on the program. It is a story of great dramatic action. The Vitagraph drama, "In Neighboring Kingdoms" is said to be a very unique subject and one that is worthy the title of an unusual picture.

The Star-Grand which is showing pictures here this week under the direction and supervision of the Lyceum Bio-Scenograph Company, continues to attract large crowds each evening. The repertoire of the same high class film, all entirely new and different will be shown this evening. The only scenes which were ever taken directly from the fields of battle in the Spanish-Moroccan war, will be the feature film tonight. The picture is said to be very realistic. Other comic, instructive and dramatic subjects will be on the program tonight. "Ben Hur" was the main attraction last night and pleased large crowds.

One of the most important offerings of the entire season comes next week to the Shubert Murat theater, Indianapolis, when, starting Monday evening, April 3d, with a splendid company of sixty, Henry W. Savage will offer Bisson's celebrated drama of absorbing heart interest, "Madame X" which has scored one of the most sensational successes in the history of the modern stage both in this country and in Europe.

Not since "The Two Orphans," "Camille," or the Sardou plays has there been anything comparable in sympathetic appeal, tragic force and dramatic thrill to this supremely triumphant sensation of two continents which Mr. Savage will offer in Indianapolis in all its original magnitude, even to the smallest detail, identically as it was witnessed by over a quarter of a million people in New York City alone.

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CHAPTER XII.

The Vanishing Diplomatist.

It was three days after the ambassador's disappearance that Monsieur Rigolot, secretary of the French embassy and temporary charge-d'affaires, reported the matter to Chief Campbell in the Secret Service Bureau, adding thereto a detailed statement of several singular incidents following close upon it. He told it in order, concisely and to the point, while Grimm and his chief listened.

"Monsieur Boisseguir, the ambassador, you understand, is a man whose habits are remarkably regular," he began. "He has made it a rule to be at his desk every morning at ten o'clock, and between that time and one o'clock he dictates his correspondence, and clears up whatever routine work there is before him. I have known him for many years, and have been secretary of the embassy under him in Germany and Japan and in this country. I have never known him to vary this general order of work unless because of illness, or necessary absence."

"Well, Monsieur, last Tuesday—this is Friday—the ambassador was at his desk as usual. He dictated a dozen or more letters, and had begun another—a private letter to his sister in Paris. He was well along in this letter when, without any apparent reason, he rose from his desk and left the room, closing the door behind him. His stenographer's impression was that some detail of business had occurred to him, and he had gone into the general office to attend to it. I may say, Monsieur, that this impression seemed strengthened by the fact that he left a fresh cigarette burning in his ash tray, and his pen was behind his ear. It was as all as if he had merely stepped out, intending to return immediately—the sort of thing, Monsieur, that any man might have done."

"It so happened that when he went out he left a sentence of his letter incomplete. I tell you this to show that the impulse to go must have been a sudden one, yet there was nothing in his manner, so his stenographer says, to indicate excitement, or any other than his usual frame of mind. It was about five minutes of twelve o'clock—high noon—when he went out. When he didn't return immediately the stenographer began transcribing the letters. At one o'clock Monsieur Boisseguir still had not returned and his stenographer went to luncheon."

As he talked, some inbred excitement seemed to be growing upon him, due, perhaps, to his recital of facts, and he paused at last to regain control of himself. Incidentally he wondered if Mr. Grimm was taking the slightest interest in what he was saying. Certainly there was nothing in his impassive face to indicate it.

"Understand, Monsieur," the secretary continued after a moment, "that I knew nothing whatever of all this until late that afternoon—that is, Tuesday afternoon about five o'clock. I was engaged all day upon some important work in my office, and had had no occasion to see Monsieur Boisseguir since a word or so when he came in at ten o'clock. My attention was called to the affair finally by his stenographer, Monsieur Netterville, who came to me for instructions. He had finished the letters and the ambassador had not returned to sign them. At this point I began an investigation, Monsieur, and the further I went the more uneasy I grew."

"Now, Monsieur, there are only two entrances to the embassy—the front door, where a servant is in constant attendance from nine in the morning until ten at night, and the rear door, which can only be reached through the kitchen. Neither of the two men who had been stationed at the front door had seen the ambassador since breakfast, therefore he could not have gone out that way. Comprenez? It

seemed ridiculous, Monsieur, but then I went to the kitchen. The chef had been there all day, and he had not seen the ambassador at all. I inquired further. No one in the embassy, not



Now, Monsieur, There Are Only Two Entrances to the Embassy."

a clerk, nor a servant, nor a member of the ambassador's family had seen him since he left his office."

Again he paused and ran one hand across his troubled brow.

"Monsieur," he went on, and there was a tense note in his voice, "the ambassador of France had disappeared, gone, vanished! We searched the house from the cellar to the servants' quarters, even the roof, but there was no trace of him. The hat he usually wore was in the hall, and all his other hats were accounted for. You may remember, Monsieur, that Tuesday was cold, but all his top-coats were found in their proper places. So it seems, Monsieur," and repression ended in a burst of excitement, "if he left the embassy he did not go out by either door, and he went without hat or coat!"

He stopped helplessly and his gaze alternated inquiringly between the benevolent face of the chief and the expressionless countenance of Mr. Grimm.

"If he left the embassy?" Mr. Grimm repeated. "If your search of the house proved conclusively that he wasn't there, he did leave it, didn't he?"

Monsieur Rigolot stared at him blankly for a moment, then nodded.

"And there are windows, you know," Mr. Grimm went on, then: "As I understand it, Monsieur, no one except you and the stenographer saw the ambassador after ten o'clock in the morning?"

"Oui, Monsieur, C'est—" Monsieur Rigolot began excitedly. "I beg pardon. I believe that is correct."

"You saw him about ten, you say; therefore no one except the stenographer saw him after ten o'clock?"

"That is also true, as far as I know. Any callers? Letters? Telegrams? Telephone messages?"

"I made inquiries in that direction, Monsieur," was the reply. "I have the words of the servants at the door and of the stenographer that there were no callers, and the statement of the stenographer that there were no telephone calls or telegrams. There were only four letters for him personally. He left them all on his desk—here they are."

Mr. Grimm looked them over leisurely. They were commonplace enough, containing nothing that might be construed into a reason for the disappearance.

"The letters Monsieur Boisseguir had dictated were laid on his desk by the stenographer," Monsieur Rigolot rushed on volubly, excitedly. "In the anxiety and uneasiness following the disappearance they were allowed to remain there overnight. On Wednesday morning, Monsieur"—and he hesitated impressively—"those letters bore his signature in his own handwriting!"

Mr. Grimm turned his listless eyes full upon Monsieur Rigolot's perturbed face for one scant instant.

"No doubt of it being his signature?" he queried.

"Non, Monsieur, non!" the secretary exclaimed emphatically. "Vous avez—that is, I have known his signature for years. There is no doubt. The letters were not of a private nature. If you would care to look at the copies of them?"

He offered the duplicates tentatively. Mr. Grimm read them over slowly, while Monsieur Rigolot sat nervously staring at him. They, too, seemed meaningless as bearing on the matter in hand. Finally, Mr. Grimm nodded and Monsieur Rigolot resumed:

"And Wednesday night, Monsieur, another strange thing happened. Monsieur Boisseguir smokes many cigarettes, of a kind made especially for him in France, and shipped to him here. He keeps them in a case on his dressing-table. On Thursday morning his valet reported to me that this case of cigarettes had disappeared!"

"Of course," observed Mr. Grimm, "Monsieur Boisseguir has a latch-key to the embassy?"

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"Of course."

"Anything unusual happen last night—that is, Thursday night?"

"Nothing, Monsieur—that is, nothing we can find."

Mr. Grimm sat silent for a time and fell to twisting the seal ring on his finger. Mr. Campbell turned around and moved a paper weight one inch to the left, where it belonged, while Monsieur Rigolot, disappointed at their amazing apathy, squirmed uneasily in his chair.

"It would appear, then," Mr. Grimm remarked, musingly, "that after his mysterious disappearance the ambassador has either twice returned to his house at night, or else sent some one there, first to bring the letters to him for signature, and later to get his cigarettes?"

"Certainement, Monsieur—I mean, that seems to be true. But where is he? Why should he not come back?"

What does it mean? Monsieur Boisseguir is frantic, prostrated! She wanted me to go to the police, but I did not think it wise that it should become public, so I came here."

"Very well," commented Mr. Grimm. "Let it rest as it is. Meanwhile you may reassure madame. Point out to her that if Monsieur Boisseguir signed the letters Tuesday night he was, at least, alive; and if he came or sent for the cigarettes Wednesday night, he was still alive. I shall call at the embassy this afternoon. No, it isn't advisable to go with you now. Give me your latch-key, please."

Monsieur Rigolot produced the key and passed it over without a word.

"And one other thing," Mr. Grimm continued, "please collect all the revolvers that may be in the house and take charge of them yourself. If any one, by chance, heard a burglar prowling around there tonight he might shoot, and in that event either kill Monsieur Boisseguir or—or me!"

When the secretary had gone Mr. Campbell idly drummed on his desk as he studied the face of his subordinate.

"So much!" he commented finally. "It's Miss Thorne again," said the young man as if answering a question.

"Perhaps these reports I have received today from the Latin capitals may aid you in dispelling that mystery," Campbell suggested, and Mr. Grimm turned them over eagerly. "Meanwhile our royal visitor, Prince Benedetto d'Abruzzi, remains unknown?"

The young man's teeth closed with a snap.

"It's only a question of time, Chief," he said abruptly. "I'll find him—I'll find him!"

And he sat down to read the reports.

MODERN HAIR DRESSING

has played havoc with the tresses of the fair sex, and druggists everywhere comment on the fact that they are selling large quantities of sage for making the old-fashioned "sage tea," such as was used by our grandmothers for promoting the growth of their hair and restoring its natural color. The demand for this well-known herb for this purpose has been so great that one manufacturer has taken advantage of the fact, and has placed on the market an ideal "sage tea," containing sulphur, a valuable remedy for dandruff and scalp rashes and irritations. This preparation, which is called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, is sold by all leading druggists for 50 cents and \$1 a bottle, or will be sent direct by the Wyeth Chemical Company, 74 Cortland St., New York City, upon receipt of price.

(To be continued.)

REASONS OF STATE

LOSS FIGURED

AT \$7,000,000

But That Is Not the Full Tale of Capitol Fire.

PRICELESS DOCUMENTS GONE

The Worst Feature of the Blaze Which Swept Through New York's \$27,000,000 State House Was the Destruction of Documents and Records Which All the Money in the World Cannot Restore.

Albany, N. Y., March 30.—The net result of a fire which started in the assembly library of the \$27,000,000 capitol building and spread through the western portion of the building, destroying everything in its path, from the third floor upward, is a loss of \$7,000,000 and of records and documents almost priceless in value, and a suspension of state business. No insurance was carried because the structure was believed fireproof. The national capitol at Washington cost \$14,000,000 less than the Albany edifice.

The state library, containing 400,000 volumes, was entirely destroyed, as well as a number of offices surrounding it. The other portions of the building, including the senate and assembly chamber, are waterlogged. The flames, fed by inflammable records and documents, spread rapidly and the library was a seething furnace when the firemen arrived in response to an alarm.

The entire western section of the capitol is almost completely destroyed and half of the state departments are crippled and homeless. Franklin B. Ware, the state architect, places the loss officially at \$5,000,000, but nobody would be surprised if it ultimately went a few millions more. Samuel J. Abbott, aged seventy-seven, a civil war veteran, who was employed as a night watchman in the state library, is supposed to have perished in the flames. His body has not been found.

Legislature Driven to City Hall.

The legislature will be doing business for some time in Albany's city hall. The assembly chamber was soaked with water and damaged by fire and smoke to such an extent that it will be a month at least before it can be used. The senate did not fare so badly, although the rooms of the lieutenant governor and senate clerk were devastated with smoke and water. The departments which were put absolutely out of business by the fire were the state library and state library school, on the third and fourth floors of the capitol, on the western end; the state court of claims, the legislative bill drafting department; the state superintendent of weights and measures, and the examinations department of the regents in the southwestern corner of the fourth floor of the capitol.

The senate library was saved from the flames, though deluged with water. The senate finance committee room, the senate codes committee room, the assembly lavatory and the assembly engrossing room were wiped out by the fire. The offices of the state exercise commissioner and public service commission and of the attorney general, adjutant general and rooms used by the national guard headquarters on the second floor, were rendered unfit for use by water, as well as unsafe for occupancy.

Upon the first floor Commissioner of Education Draper's office the state commission in lunacy, the rooms of the state board of charities and of the state treasurer and state tax commission were made uninhabitable. Other important state departments escaped the flames, although more or less affected by the water.

REASONS OF STATE

President Taft Giving Congressmen a Statement of Affairs.

Washington, March 30.—President Taft continues to disclose to members of congress the alarming situation which confronted this government when he ordered the troops to the Mexican border. It is apparent that he intends to take all the members of the foreign affairs committee in both branches of congress into his confidence. Members declared after they had read the official reports that Mr. Taft was entirely justified in ordering the troops to Texas.

It is apparent now that the president has started out with the intention of heading off the attack which one or two insurgents have been threatening in the coming session on account of the Mexican maneuvers.

Threatened Business District.

Danville, Ill., March 30.—A fire which threatened a part of the business district of this city, started in the Woodbury Book company plant. The fire spread to the store of Goldsmith, Boord & Goldsmith, and to the Feldkamp Candy company, causing a loss of \$7,500.

The Latest Food Fake.

Westfield, Mass., March 30.—The serious illness of two small children has been traced to fake blood oranges. The fruit, bought at fancy prices, showed under analysis that it was colored with a highly poisonous injection.

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AT RUSHVILLE

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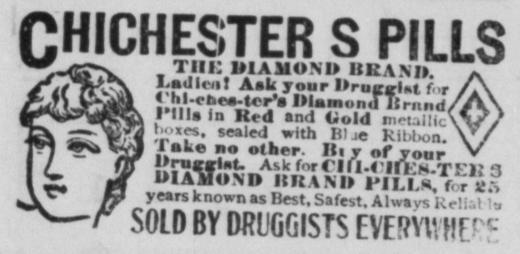
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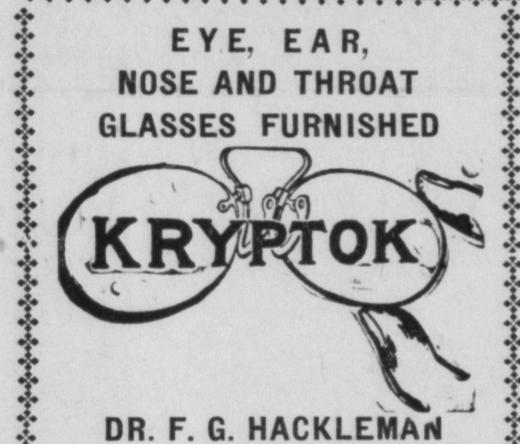
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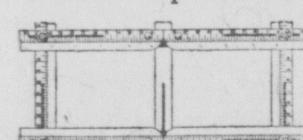
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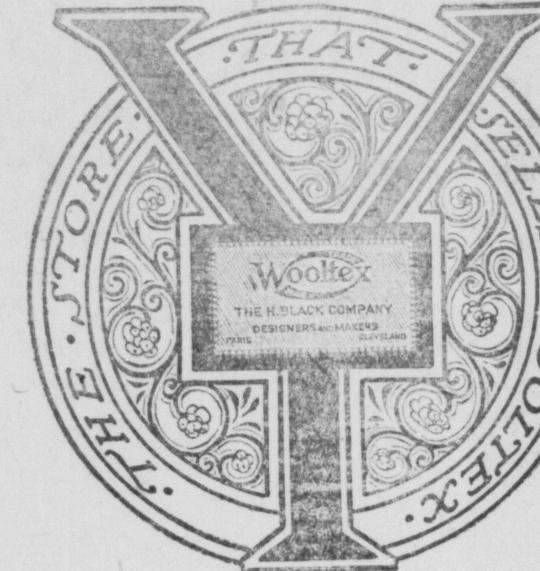
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LOCAL NEWS

A. J. Gates has a very severe attack of the grippe.

The Kings Daughters will hold an exchange and candy bazaar April 15.

Frances, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowen is suffering with a serious attack of pneumonia.

Elder C. W. Radcliff of Mt. Vernon, Ind., will preach at the Morgan Street Primitive Baptist church Friday evening.

Mrs. Taylor Warfield is suffering with a severe attack of the grippe.

Miss Esther Black, daughter of Mayor and Mrs. B. A. Black of North Jackson street, is improving after a rather serious illness.

Paul Offutt has sold a three-year-old Patehen Boy mare to George B. Dougall, proprietor of the Reidston stock farm at Richmond. John Dagger, son of William Dagger, is employed there.

The annual meeting of the members of the United Presbyterian church will be held Friday, March 31 at 7 p. m. The new year starts April 1. At the meeting reports will be heard from all societies and organizations in the church. Officers will be elected for the coming year. All members and adherents are urged to be present.

MORTGAGE FILING

Under a law recently passed by the legislature, three days time is given for the filing of mortgages and deeds with the county recorder, instead of forty-five days as was previously the case. County Recorder Maple has been experiencing some trouble lately because the people in general did not know this.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was granted to Fred Maple and Miss Dora B. Wagner today.

NEW "COP."

Tom McAllister has been appointed policeman to assist John Wolters during the absence of City Marshal Harlow, who is confined to his home with lagriple.

NOT ENOUGH LOTS.

Owing to the fact that more lots were sold than the promoters had anticipated the following men bought, but could not be accommodated: Dr. D. H. Dean, Charles Green, Charles Alger, Jacob Parrish and Will Bliss.

FOR SALE—Iron bed, cost \$25.00; sale price, \$12, springs included.

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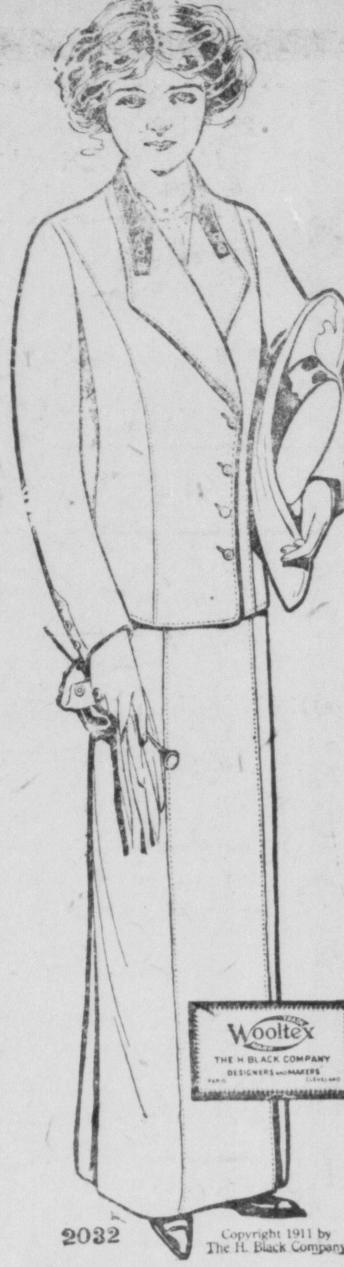
VISITS TREASURER.

Shelbyville Democrat: Will McBride, treasurer of Rush county, was a visitor in the city for a few hours yesterday morning while on his way to Indianapolis. He called on Deputy Treasurer McDonald while in the city, where that official gave him a few pointers about how the treasurer's office should be conducted. Mr. McBride is a Democrat and was elected in the election in November.

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Courteous and prompt attention in the finest surroundings. All goods of dependable quality—and all prices lower than elsewhere. Consider that when you next replenish your wardrobe. Purchase here and dress well without extravagance. Suits as low as \$15. And remember that the slightest cause for dissatisfaction entitles you to your money back.

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Saturday, April 1st, 1 p. m.

so as to give the country people a chance to get some, we are going to sell the following embroideries, such as 18 inch corset covering, 18 inch flouncing and 12 inch embroideries, worth from 20c to 45c a yard.....

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Not over 5 yards to a Customer

Triple Coated, White Lined 7 qt. Stew-Kettle, worth 50c, next Saturday only.....

25c

14 qt. Heavy Grey Granite Dish Pans, 35c kind, next Saturday only.....

21c

Flowers and Fruits for Ladies Hats

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Next Saturday Only

6 qt. Heavy Grey Granite Stew Kettle, 6 qt. Preserve Kettles, 6 qt. Pudding Pans, 2 qt. Coffee Pots, 4 qt. Bake Pans, 2 qt. Heavy Grey seamless covered Buckets. These are a bargain Your choice.....

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BROOMS a new lot, much larger and better than the last ones we had, 50c kind, next Saturday only.....

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MATCHES, smooth tip, all perfect, worth 5c a box, next Saturday only, 3 boxes for.....

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full line now on display some worth \$1 a bunch 10c

Dry Goods

Calicoes American Prints a yard only..... 5c
Table Damask, worth 40c a yard in white or colors, special, a yard..... 25c
Chambray Ginghams a yd 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ c, 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ c, 8 1/3c, 10c
India Linen, 15c quality, a yard..... 10c
Bed Ticking, worth 25c a yard, only..... 18c
7 $\frac{1}{2}$ c and 8 1/3c Bleached or Unbleached Muslin, a yard..... 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ c
Percale worth 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c and 15c a yard, only..... 10c
Bleached or Unbleached Linen Toweling, worth 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c and 15c a yard, Saturday only, a yard..... 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ c
Ladies Black Hose, worth 15c, a pair Saturday only, 3 pair for..... 25c

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Miscellaneous

Ladies Dutch Collars, very pretty patterns only..... 10c
Hair Nets, with or without elastic, any color 10c
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Children's patent leather hand bags, 25c values, only..... 10c
Men's Sweater Coats, worth from 50c to \$1.00, choice..... 39c
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